

Know all men by these present that I  
James Nicolas of Douglass Township in the  
County of Montgomery & State of Pennsylvania  
Yeoman & late a Soldier in <sup>the</sup> Reg: of Invalids  
Band of the Line of the said State do hereby  
constitute & appoint Major Matthew McConnell  
to be my true & lawful Attorney for me & in  
my name to apply to the Hon<sup>ble</sup> Executive Council  
or who ever else it may concern for the patent  
for two hundred Acres of land due to me as a  
Soldier in the line of said State to receive the  
same & in whatever else may be needful agree-  
able to the Acts of the Hon<sup>ble</sup> Gen<sup>l</sup> Assembly in as  
full & complete a manner as if I was personally  
present. in witness whereof I have here  
unto set my hand & seal Douglass Township  
County above named this 4<sup>th</sup> Day of August  
1787

Present

James Nicolas

James Thomson

David Hillborn

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Genl. Nicholas

Donation Land

Philadelphia

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